

Defence of Family Allowance Act

Senator Robertson Says Scheme Will Help to Overcome Economic Disadvantages of Prairies

Senator Robertson, of Halifax, president of the National Liberal Federation, speaking in Calgary, said that the Family Allowance scheme would do much to overcome the economic disadvantages under which the prairie provinces and maritimes have long suffered.

Explaining with figures he gave the estimate on family allowances as 250 million dollars. Of this amount Ontario would contribute \$126,000,000 and receive \$80,000,000. British Columbia would contribute \$20,000,000 and receive \$15,000,000. Quebec would contribute and receive the same sum, \$80,000,000.

\$50,000,000 for Prairie
Speaking of the Liberal war record, and the effort to effect a fair distribution of income, he instance the rise in farm prices, with other prices pegged, and the rise of lower wage groups to parity. Against this a stiff excess profits tax and graduated income tax bearing with severity on upper brackets. Price control had stemmed inflation.

In order to maintain post-war stability and trade, the Senator instance such federal legislation as exchange stabilization, guarantee of export credit and industrial development bank scheme. There was also the rehabilitation measure for service men, children's allowances and a comprehensive housing plan.

Former Calgarian In Chicago Case

The suicide of Harry Hogsans, wealthy lumberman of Chicago, links up Mrs. Jeanette Tees, a divorcee from Calgary. Hogsans shot himself immediately after Mrs. Tees refused to dine with him. He had been drinking according to evidence. Mrs. Tees was an important witness at the coronor's inquest.

A news story in the Albertan reveals that Mrs. Tees once started suit against the estate of the late Dr. Buswell. The sum of \$50,000 was the amount. She claimed that the doctor had given her two cheques totalling \$50,000 and that it was later agreed that she should return the cheques while he altered his will, making her beneficiary for more than \$50,000. But the doctor did not change his will. She also claimed certain money and jewelry which were locked in a safe in the doctor's suite. The claim did not come before the court but a settlement was made giving Mrs. Tees the automobile which she claimed and \$3500 in cash, as well as jewelry.

NEWS OF INTEREST

Americans are roaring over the Philippines with carrier aircraft of the Pacific fleet in steady attack.

Britain has bought the whole exportable surplus of sugar from Australia, South Africa, Brit. West Indies, British Guiana and Haiti up to the end of 1946.

The 4200 men of air crew reserve, who have been waiting training at air schools, will be released. They may volunteer for the other services, navy or army, and if not, will be subject to military call.

Canadian Congress of Labor meeting in Quebec urges promotion of international co-operation, of unrestricted trade, Canadian membership in the Pan-American Union, stronger relations between Canada and Russia.

K. Roy McLean - Optometrist and Optician - Regular Visit - King's Drug Store, Tuesday afternoon, November 14 and Champion the same morning. Calgary office 1015 last four days of the week.

SHOWER

A delightful miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Clayton on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 31st in honor of Miss Thora Snow, a November bride-elect.

After an interesting game had been conducted the guest of honor had to gather her presents from various places throughout the house in the form of a treasure hunt, providing much amusement for all.

After Miss Snow had unwrapped and displayed her many varied and useful gifts with the aid of the Misses Melba Stein and Lola Bateman, she thanked everyone very charmingly for their thoughtfulness, and invited all to visit her in her new home.

The joint hostesses, Mrs. Clayton and Mrs. Dale Markert, assisted by several of the other ladies, then served a very tasty lunch terminating a very pleasant afternoon.

Vulcan Victory Loan Drive Now Over the Top

Loan officials stated that the Vulcan and District Loan Drive went over the top on Wednesday afternoon.

Nice going Vulcan!

HONORED

Miss Evelyn Phillips, whose marriage to Cpl. Russel Lawrence takes place on Saturday has been honored on several occasions during the past week. Mrs. Albert Markert and Mrs. C. Hay were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower held at the Markert home on Tuesday afternoon, when 25 guests were entertained. Several interesting contests were enjoyed after which Miss Betty Hay presented the guest of honor with many lovely gifts from her friends and assisted her in unwrapping them. Miss Phillips thanked her friends very appropriately and regretted that she would be leaving too far away for them to visit her. A most delicious lunch was served by the hostesses. On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. George Fulton, Miss Margaret Hanson and Mrs. R. Jamison Jr., were hostesses at a shower at the Fulton home. About 24 guests were gathered to "shower" the popular bride-elect with gifts for her new home. The rooms were attractively decorated with pink and white streamers and the presents presented in a three-tier mock wedding cake also beautifully decorated. Mrs. Fulton, in a few well chosen words expressed the good wishes of all, while Mrs. Jamison and Miss Hanson carried in the "cake." Mrs. Snow and Mrs. Phillips, presided at the tea table and Miss Neoma McMullen assisted the guest-of-honor in unwrapping of the gifts. Friday afternoon Miss Phillips was again honored when Mrs. Russel Graham, Mrs. E. Kerr, Mrs. R. Parslow and Miss Lynette Parslow were hostesses at the Graham home. The guests spent the afternoon making a "Bride's Book," which caused much amusement and was cleverly arranged. A decorated model airplane provided a novel idea for presenting the gifts, being loaded with a cargo of good wishes and useful as well as lovely things for the bride's new home. The guest of honor was assisted in unwrapping of the parcels by her first teacher, Mrs. B. Armor of Stavely who had come especially for the occasion. A dainty lunch was served by the hostesses and much enjoyed by the guests.

Killed In Action



Lieutenant Jack Anderson

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Anderson and family were grieved to learn last Thursday that they had received word that their only son, Lieutenant Jack Anderson had been killed in action, on October 10th. Jack who would have celebrated his 31st birthday next month was born at Treherne, Man. He came to Vulcan with his parents when small. He had attended grade and high school here and on completion of his school days was associated with his father in the dry goods business. His artistic nature and pleasant manner had endeared him to a large circle of friends who wished him well when he left to enlist in November, 1941. He took his Officer's training at Gordon Head, B.C., was graduated as lieutenant, second class. His commission was confirmed at Currie, Calgary, and he proceeded overseas in July, 1942. In England he received further training, going into France September 1st with his regiment, the Calgary Highlanders.

In the same action in which Jack lost his life, his friend of many years, Lt. Bob Munro, received minor injuries.

Besides his parents, Lt. Anderson is survived by his sister, Miss Gladys, provincial district nurse at Youngstown. His fiancée, Miss Phyllis Clifford, lives in the Anderson Apts., Calgary.

The Advocate joins the friends of the Anderson family in extending heartfelt sympathy to them.

Brief Items of Local Interest

Mrs. Ethel Ferguson of the Valley was a recent district visitor. While here she was accompanied on a short visit to Claresholm by Mrs. Middleton.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Willis McIntyre are congratulating them on the recent birth of a son. Mrs. McIntyre is the former Miss Margaret Webber of Milo.

Pte. Wilmore McIntyre of Tyver, Sask. Sgt. J. J. Price, Lethbridge and Lac Fred Nickerson of No. 19 S.F.T.S. were Sunday guests at the R. L. Elves home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Myers are leaving this week to spend the winter months at the Pacific coast.

Mrs. G. E. Drummond spent several days in Calgary last week.

Mr. Stanley Wright of Edmonton was a recent guest at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Wright.

Friends of O/S and Mrs. James Berg are congratulating them on the birth of a daughter on Saturday, Oct. 28th. Mrs. Berg was before her marriage Miss Muriel McIver.

Pte. Cliff McArdle of Calgary, spent a "36" with his family here at the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Buehler and son Ralph and daughter, Sharon, who have resided for the past year and a half at the coast have returned to Vulcan to make their home.

Mrs. F. L. Simington of Calgary, spent several days in town last week when she visited with friends and relatives and attended to business matters.

Cpl. Russel Lawrence of Abbotsford, B.C., spent a couple of days here last week, enroute to his home in Ontario, for a brief visit.

Mr. Boyd McKay is at present visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKay at Victoria, B.C.

Bobbie Simington left on Saturday to attend Tech in Calgary, where he will take an electrical course.

Mrs. E. Wintemute and children leave this week to join Mr. Wintemute in eastern Canada, where he is in training.

Mrs. Mel Bowie has returned from a week's visit with friends at Red Deer.

Word has been received of the birth of a daughter, Donna Marian, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Carlton Jones of High River.

Friends of Mrs. Dave McAfee will be sorry to learn she is a patient in the local hospital.

Wing Commander and Mrs. Jaycock and small son will leave Vulcan shortly, with Mrs. Jaycock going to the coast.

"Salute to Victory," unique network feature of particular appeal and importance to all farm men, women and youth, will be heard Saturday evening, November 4. This program will commence at 8.30 p.m. and will be heard over Station CFAC, Calgary; CJCA, Edmonton; CJOC, Lethbridge.

The annual convention of the Little Bow Provincial Constituency Association will be held in Vulcan on November 14th at 2 p.m. in the Legion hall. P.N.R. Morrison and Mr. O. E. Wobick will address the meeting.

Miss Marjorie Syngé of Calgary, spent the week-end with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. M. Shouldice held an auction sale at their farm Friday and will shortly return to Grande Prairie where they will in future reside.

Mrs. Kronck of Brooks is a guest at the S. Tuttle home this week.

The first break in a family of 12 occurred October 19th with the death of Mrs. M. E. Young, 78, at Pt. Elgin Ont. Mrs. Young was the eldest sister of Mr. R. L. Elves.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Campbell and family have left the district to make their home near DeWinton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Todd were Calgary visitors on Saturday.

The members of the Reid Hill W.I. are reminded that the November meeting will be the annual one and will be held at the home of Mrs. Bowie. Closing out of the Sunshine circle will also be held.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Thomas, Joan and Allan were recent visitors at the Gordon Clayton home at Arrowwood.

P/O Howard Langelle left on Friday to spend a furlough with friends at Phoenix, Arizona.

Miss Thora Snow of Lethbridge is at present at her home in the district.

Mr. Clare Dunham and Mr. William Snow were Calgary visitors Thursday and Friday last.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall. Bob who has been a flying instructor at No. 3 S.F.T.S., Calgary for the past two years, has been posted to Comox, B.C. where he will take a course at No. 6 O.T.U.

Born to Lac and Mrs. Gordon Clayton, now stationed at St. Thomas, a daughter, Barbara Jean on October 17th. Lac Clayton was at one time stationed at the Vulcan airport.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McIntyre and daughters are at present spending a holiday with Mrs. McIntyre's mother at Red Deer.

Mrs. Harlan Hanson of the Valley was a recent visitor for a day with relatives here.

The Ladies' Rest Room was moved last week to its new location, the former site of the Bowling Alley and Lunch Room.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Webber of Milo were recent guests at the N. J. McIntyre home.

Mrs. H. Ulrich is spending a vacation at the coast.

Mr. Ralph Pritchard has accepted a position with the Flour Mill and has given up his dray work.

Mr. Marvin Jacobson was a Calgary visitor over the week-end.

Mr. John Love has recently moved to the Valley, having turned over his farm to his son, Norman.

Friends of Mr. Charlie Carson will be sorry to learn he underwent an operation in a Calgary hospital the first of the week.

LADIES' AUXILIARY MEETING

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion held their regular monthly meeting in the hall on Thursday evening, October 26th with a splendid attendance of members.

Routine business was dealt with. It was reported that cigarettes and gum were sent to 35 boys and one girl who are serving overseas during the month of September. Christmas parcels were packed and shipped on October 10th. Letters were read from boys thanking the members for previous parcels and cigarettes.

Expressions of sympathy were extended Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Anderson and Gladys as they mourn the loss of their son and brother Jack who was killed on active service overseas.

The social party wish it to be known that a bingo party is held every Saturday evening in the Legion hall to which everyone is welcome.

It was decided to conduct the sale of poppies again this year and committees were appointed. Poppies will be sold on the streets on Saturday, November 4th as well as Armistice Day.

It was also decided to conduct a Tip Top suit draw, tickets for which will be available shortly. Members are asked to bear in mind that future meetings will commence at 8 o'clock instead of 8.30 for the winter months.

At the close of the meeting a social half hour was enjoyed. Lunch was served by Mrs. J. Smith and Mrs. J. Hanna.

ROWLAND - RUSHFELT

A pretty wedding took place recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Rushfeldt when their daughter, Marjorie and Mr. Keith St. Claire Rowland were united in the bonds of holy matrimony. Rev. J. L. Wright of Vulcan, officiated.

The bride wore an Alice blue wool dress with a corsage of pink roses and brown accessories. Her sister, Arlene who was bridesmaid, was gowned in gold crepe with black accessories. Sydney Rowland, brother of the groom was best man.

The bride's table was centred with a beautifully ornamented three-tiered wedding cake and pink candles in silver candle-holders.

Rev. Wright proposed a toast to the bride to which the groom replied. Among the many guests were the grandparents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. St. Claire and Mrs. Rowland.

Vulcan Druggist Places Second In Stamp Drive

Mitchell's Drug Store sold war savings stamps to a total of \$3,319 to place second in the province in the Druggists Stamp Sale recently completed.

Top sales of \$5,162 were achieved by A. L. Reineche of the Claresholm Drug store. In the northern half of the province W. H. Sprague of Edmonton, placed first, by a total sale of stamps of \$675 which was about one-fifth that of our local pharmacist.

Combining with the King Drug Store and ably assisted with a number of the ladies and Miss Canadas, they really made citizens of Vulcan and district war savings stamp conscious.

Our readers will be pleased to learn that Vulcan has gained much favorable publicity from this drive.

The following Miss Canadas included in the airport where they sold \$471 worth of War Savings stamps: Dorothy Myers, Jeanette Hargreaves, Jean McCall, Francis Collins, Jean Dunham, Francis Hawkins, Anne Lee Mrs. Wyatt and Mrs. Shortreed.

Winners of the Frigidare and other prizes are as follows: Winner of the electric refrigerator in campaign was Henry C. Sparrow, Calgary.

Winners of \$50 War Savings Certificates were Mrs. Dodd, Lethbridge; A. E. Edlund, Crossfield; "Little Joe" Riddell, Calgary; F. M. Ashley, Calgary; A. Foulds, Delburne; Rev. Mr. Sinclair, Innisfail; Mrs. J. Hunter, Calgary; S. Law, Didsbury; Mrs. Alan McLean, Calgary; D. Oldham, Calgary; E. E. Petch, Calgary; Mrs. E. Proctor, Black Diamond; J. Go-lightly, Calgary; Marion Clarke, Lethbridge.

Total of \$882,156 was raised by Canadian druggists in their campaign.

SHOWER

In compliment to Miss Hazel Olson whose marriage takes place shortly a miscellaneous shower was held in the United Church Sunday school rooms on Friday evening, when Mrs. J. L. Wright, Mrs. W. Jamison and Mrs. T. B. Lebeau were hostesses. The rooms were most attractively decorated and a most interesting social program arranged. A sing-song opened the evening's festivities after which an unusual quiz program complete with microphone, and the Wright sisters, Eleanor and Lorna acting as Mistresses of Ceremonies provided a half hour. A splendid reading by Miss Lorna Wright was also enjoyed. Mrs. Wright presented the youth guest of honor with a regally decorated basket piled with lovely and useful gifts for her new home. An expressed the best of wishes of all present for a long and happy married life. A delicious lunch was served, replete with a wedding cake made by Mrs. Wright. At the close of a most pleasant evening the guests gathered to sing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Geschweidt announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Elizabeth Emma, to Mr. John Marshall Roebuck, of Vulcan, the marriage to take place the latter part of November.



A. G. Lewis

Liberal Candidate For Macleod Constituency

MAYVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith were Calgary and Dalemead visitors over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stein, Melba and Reg. were Sunday visitors to High River.

Lac Andrew Nafziger has returned to his station in Eastern Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Richardson and Helen, were Calgary visitors Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. A. Hunter of Ensign is a guest at the J. R. Stein home.

BERRYWATER NEWS

The Berrywater U.F.W.A. met at the home of Mrs. F. J. Mensinger, October 18th, with a good attendance of members. Final arrangements were discussed and settled for the social evening to be held by the local, on October 27th. After the business was dispensed with the members enjoyed a visit with Mrs. McPherson of Edmonton, who was a guest at the meeting. At the close of the afternoon a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Church services held at the Berrywater school, October 29th, were conducted by the Rev. H. E. Gordon of Macleod, and were well attended. The next meeting of the W.M.S. is set for Sunday, November 5th at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Ed. Richardson, to which the entire congregation are cordially invited. There will be a short devotional period conducted by Mrs. Oldfield.

Week-end guests at the H.C. Douglass home were Mr. Brodick Sr., FIO Mel Castle and Cpl. Betty Hopkins of No. 19 S.F.T.S.

A successful social evening was held at the Berrywater school on October 27th. The evening's events consisted of an hour and a half program to which the following artists contributed their talents: Duet, Masters Elwood and Harold Mensinger; a vocal and instrumental selection by Bill Skratoff; piano solo, Miss Anne Oldfield; a play "Have You Had You Operation?" with the cast being Miss Marjorie Love, Miss Mary Douglas, Miss Betty Smith, Mrs. Archie Oldfield, Mrs. Ed. Richardson and Mrs. H. Douglass and Mrs. C. Love directing; piano solo, Miss Mary Douglas; vocal trio, Gordon Campbell, Gordon McNulty and Archie Oldfield; tap dance, Miss Ethel Doane and Miss Helen Richardson; vocal solo, Miss Velma Noble. Mrs. C. L. Oldfield acted as Mistress of Ceremonies. A supper, consisting of Conkee-Doodle (a one-dish meal), pie, fresh buns and coffee was served. The draw for the lucky tickets on the raffle sponsored by the U.F.W.A. was held, the winners being Nest of Table, Mrs. W. Marshall; wool bed-throw, a Calgary citizen, and the silver teaspoons, Miss Marilyn Bertrand, Milo. An apron bazaar was held at which more than 40 aprons were disposed of. The dance was much enjoyed by the young people, with music provided by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gerding Jr. Appreciation and thanks are extended to all those who gave so freely of their time and talent to make a success of the evening.

Miss Velma Noble of Okotoks spent the week-end at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. F. Mensinger.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Healy accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. L. Doeling and Heane Taylor were guests at the home of Clarence Mowatt, Parkland, Thursday of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Doeling were guests at the wedding of Miss Muriel Hiatt of Dalemead on Saturday, October 28.

Home and School Association Meets

A re-organization meeting of the Home and School Association was held in the Vulcan high school on October 24th. The meeting opened with the singing of "O Canada" followed by a prayer by Rev. J. L. Wright. A program by the students was presented with the following numbers: Grade 2, a duet by Billy and Betty Hansell; Grade 4 "The Fly Song" by Helen and Ann Nicol; Grades 6 and 7 a chorus "God Bless Canada"; Grade 7 and 8, a chorus. Some of the students of the high school, under the direction of Mr. Simcoe presented a pantomime entitled "Lord Ullin's Daughter." The program was followed by a business meeting, when election of officers took place as follows: Honorary President, Mr. Simcoe; President, Mr. P. R. Weber; vice-Pres., Mrs. W. S. Hill; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. Edward Armev Membership committee: Mrs. D. O. Jantzie. Program committee: Mrs. Mae Todd. Social committee: Mrs. F. Mensinger; Publicity committee: Mrs. E. G. Hansell.

The membership of the Home and School Association now stands at sixty-eight. It was decided to meet in the high school every third Tuesday of each month.

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CATTLE SALES

AMONGST the larger cattle sales in Alberta within recent date, it has been commented that prices have fallen off a bit from their peak of last year. Several explanatory reasons are given, either applicable to all or to specific sales. One is the uncertainty of the Canadian packing house situation, with the breach between owners and employees, and with packing houses filled for immediate needs. Another is that some inferior cattle are going in to these sales. Still another is the general tendency to cut down to some extent on herds. Already there is apprehension of conditions "after the war," and all the re-assuring words in the world unless backed by clear, unequivocal legislation, are not going to wipe out from memory the disastrous experiences of cattle owners following the last war.

Any break in the smooth movement of cattle from farm to buyer, through processing plants, is bound to bring reaction to the producer. There is threat of loss to ranchers and farmers if cattle that are ready for market cannot be disposed of when they are ready. Holding them unduly means further expense.

The need for re-opening the Canadian outlet into United States is heightened, and appears to be one method of relieving the situation. Under the old agreement with United States, Canada could dispose of nearly 200,000 head annually by special quota. These shipments have been suspended for the past two years because of the war requirements. Cattlemen urge with greater insistence than ever that this market be reopened.

While Britain's beef requirements are likely to continue for another year, there appear to be few producers who look confidently to Britain as a permanent outlet for Canada's surplus cattle. Past experience has been to the contrary. During early depression years when the U.S. market was closed off by tariffs, it was found that Irish and Argentine cattle proved formidable competition in any satisfactory entry to the British market. Transportation costs further reacted against the Canadian product. There is no reason to believe that conditions will alter substantially after the war to the advantage of Canada. Therefore the insistent demand that export to the U.S. market be resumed seems soundly based. It would take care of surplus which threatens to pile up in face of the packing house difficulties. It would keep open the surest and best export market which Canada cannot afford to lose. And it would serve to reassure and steady the entire Canadian cattle world, present pass.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

A young father after unsuccessfully searching a score of stores in several cities, in an effort to buy children's winter underwear, exclaimed in despair: "What's the sense in bonuses for better babies, when this country won't manufacture clothing to cover the children that we have got." It was his contention that children would be better assured of health if the government saw to it that sufficient warm clothing was made available to protect them against the winter, and that the promise of baby bonuses in the future is a poor substitute for the serious lack of children's wear which prevails right now and has prevailed for some time. In his opinion if there were a number of distracted young fathers sitting in Parliament, the pressing need for children's clothing would have been loudly proclaimed, and the situation remedied before it had reached its probably storekeepers across Canada are heartily in

sympathy with this young man's frustrations. They cannot begin to fill the demand which is so greatly in excess of supply. They resort to rationing; they can secure only broken lines and a fraction of what they need. Meager supplies are grabbed almost as soon as they reach the counter.

It would seem in all fairness that some pressure, if necessary, should be put on factories to assure that there is no shortage of garments that are essential in clothing children against the rigors of winter. Scarcity of adult clothing could be taken without protest, especially clothing of an ornamental or luxury nature. But the shortage in children's apparel, which exists clear across Canada, cannot be justified and is the last cut which should be made on civilian requirements.

In the great world of affairs perhaps this is not important, but it is one of the most aggravating of smaller aggravations. And seemingly unnecessary.

PERTINENT TOPICS

DISCUSSED BY H.C.

General deGaulle did not mind telling the Allies that what they lack is singleness of purpose. If it is one thing the General himself does not lack. He has seen from the start just what he wants and has not scattered his shot. He is convinced that what he wants, France wants, and is entitled to have. Without regard for what the Big Three think or what occupied countries other than France think he demands a preferred position over the latter and an equal position with the former in the peace negotiations. It does not occur to him that France needs time for convalescence and a spot of forgiveness before she can adequately fill the place he would have her (him) take now.

He has always presented himself as a soldier rather than a politician but he is no slouch in the latter capacity. He played the United States against Britain until Casablanca and then played Russia against both of them until Teheran. He exerted propaganda and other pressures until he got his way. On the heels of the British-American armies he established his French government and gave his countrymen practically all the credit for the liberation of Paris and the Ruhr. Not satisfied with that he insists on a similar position in Germany and he has friends in Canada to help him in the belief that it embarrasses Britain, and in the United States he finds helpers who hope it will be embarrassing Roosevelt.

We do not know whether Churchill changed his opinion but he certainly changed his attitude toward him and there is reason to believe that it was through a memorandum of Churchill's that Roosevelt formed his opinion that deGaulle is difficult. He has to change his attitude if not his opinion for he now recognizes the General and his committee as the de facto government of France. While his tactics did not appear to be good politics, the General must be awarded the guerdon of success.

Canada too, has joined in the recognition—this Canada that for a long time recognized the government of Petain and Laval while the United Kingdom was recognizing de Gaulle who was under sentence of death as a traitor by the traitors of Vichy. Petain was being exalted in some sections of Canada as a noble Christian and true French patriot, and even in humble homes pictures and statuettes of him were proudly and reverently displayed and the C.B.C. was charged by Jean Charles Harvey with placing the quack hero of Verdun on a pedestal. It would be interesting to know just what influences were behind that elevation, but no doubt they were the same that impelled the government to withdraw Dr. Riddell from Geneva because he sponsored oil sanctions against Italy in the Abyssinian affair.

The General has been in our opinion too pushful and arrogant but Canada's recognition is some amendment though unaccompanied by an apology for the disgrace of having recognized Petain and Laval. By his aggressiveness he has now won a position where he can be of great service to France and the world, but if he is not prepared to show some sweet reasonableness and modify his demands for equality of France with the powers that liberated her, we may well fear that for many years after peace is declared, France will be a good deal more troublesome than Germany can be.

We can but guess what caused the surrender which terminated in his victory. All we know is that Churchill capitulated first and that Roosevelt hung out alone for a year or so and then he too, capitulated. Some time later we may learn just what happened. At present we must be content with old Kaspar's reflection that things like this you know must be. In war Allies must occasionally surrender to each other if the enemy is to be made to surrender unconditionally.

Here's a nice how do ye do. After several years of aloofness, Roosevelt recognizes deGaulle.

It was no typographical error that made any newspaper say that Laval was sentenced to death in absentia.

General MacArthur identifies Japanese Field Marshal Terauchi who is opposing him in the Philippine area as the outstanding military leader of modern times. Come what may, the General knows it pays to advertise.

Recalling campaign slanders in former Presidential elections, the author overlooks one that was used against Alfred E. Smith in his campaign against Herbert Hoover. It was alleged that he was lacking the education necessary for so exalted a station. To illustrate his alleged illiteracy it was told that he was going to take train for a hunting trip when he remembered that he has forgotten to bring his gun. Excitedly he called on his house and told a servant to get a taxi at once and send his gun to the depot. "Your what?" queried the servant. "My gun" said Al loudly, but without re-

Church Notes

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Morning service at 11 a.m.; evening service at 7.30; Sunday school at 12.15 noon; Young People's Union 8.45 after the evening service. A cordial welcome to all, and a hearty invitation to those in uniform.

ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTES

There will be service in the St. Aldhelm's church, Sunday evening, Nov. 5th at 7.30 p.m., Rev. Vaughn-Birch from High River, officiating.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES.

Hours of service are as follows: Bible school, 10.30 a.m., Lord's Supper, 11.30 a.m., evening service 7.30 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend one and all of these meetings.

Hope to Complete Gravel to Longview

The Municipal District of Highwood hopes to complete the graveling of the Longview trail this fall and as soon as equipment can be secured the work will be carried out. This will provide a good road to link up with the Valley roads, and be a great asset to the residents in the area served by the Longview trail.

This road and the continuing section as far as Guy Weadick's ranch, are better fitted for car travel than they have ever been. Good work has been done in removing many of the worst features of this road through the ranches, and it provides very pleasant travelling.

Fighting Round His Old Home Town

The war front in Holland holds great interest at present for Hank Martens of High River. His native town is Venray in northern Holland, the important rail and highway junction which last week was the scene of bitter house-to-house fighting before it was captured by the British Second Army. This area of battle as described in news reports is familiar ground to Mr. Martens.

Last week he received the sad news of the death of his father at Venray. This death occurred on April 14 and the information from the occupied country was passed on through the medium of the Red Cross. His father was 75 years of age, and did not live to see his native country freed from Nazi rule.

INTERESTING ITEMS

W. H. Childress has left on a two weeks' tour of southern Alberta in his capacity as president of District No. 12 of the A.F.U.

Hunters shot two steers on the farm of John Campbell of DeWinton presumably under the impression that they were partridge.

A. A. Dawes of Blackie has recently shipped a number of Percheron mares in foal to Gilbert E. Arnold of Grenville, Que. The Percherons were all registered, and the sire was Koncar. They were a good looking bunch.

Lt. Bob Munro, of the Calgary Highlanders, formerly manager of the Vulcan Advocate, has been wounded in action, but no details have yet been received.

F/O John Ballachee, R.C.A.F., is returning from overseas, after more than fifty operational flights over enemy country. He will be stationed in Canada as instructor for some months.

It is good to see Fred Robson round the streets again after his long period of hospitalization in Calgary and Banff. Mr. Robson is almost entirely restored to health, and has resumed some of his old duties as an employee of the town.

sult, "Your what?" came again the query. "My gun, GUN, GUN" shouted Al. "G for Jesus. U for Europe, N for pneumonia."

It is true that Smith did not have much school education but he was far from being illiterate and if he had won the election he would probably have made a better President than Hoover. It is useless but interesting to speculate upon what influence his success then would have had on the political fortunes of one F.D.R.—it might have prevented a fourth term by forestalling a first.

French veterans and others have made a plea to save Petain and the reasons they gave are good reasons why he deserves death—he is old, pious and a Marshal of France. There would be some excuse for him had he been young and impetuous; there would be some excuse for him if he were a private soldier instead of a Field Marshal, and his religion should have been his shield against dishonor. He is not going to die the death he has earned. Influences, military and ecclesiastic, will prevent that. Laval has been sentenced and will die the death of a traitor although without Petain he could not have sold his country so wickedly and wantonly down the river. The Marshal's position, piety and prestige, yea even his age, were mighty factors in negotiating the sale and especially in ensuring delivery of the goods.

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A MYSTERY SUMMONS

(From The High River Times)
It is bad enough to be summoned to appear in court for something one has done. But to be innocent as a new-born babe and directed to appear in a city court 240 miles away is much more serious. Last week a local citizen received a summons to appear in court in Edmonton for the crime of over-long parking on a certain street. They even stated the number of his license correctly. The only breakdown in the charge was that neither he nor his car had been outside High River on the day the alleged crime was committed. It is all very mysterious, and suggests that the long arm of the law occasionally reaches too far or in the wrong direction.

CANADA'S VETERANS Their Post-War Opportunities

This is the fifth in a series of advertisements to inform the people of Canada of plans to re-establish men and women of the armed forces. To get full details, save and read every advertisement.



For complete information, write for "The Booklet, 'Back to Civil Life'."

Care for the Wounded and Ill — CANADA'S TREATMENT AND PENSION LEGISLATION

Canada has assumed as a minimum obligation to members of the armed forces that before their return to civil life, the fullest possible measures shall be taken towards physical fitness, and that pension shall be provided for any permanent disability due to service. Full medical service is provided and permanent disability has been established from coast to coast. Equipment for veterans' hospitals have been established from coast to coast. Leading specialists in all branches of medicine and surgery have willingly placed their services at the disposal of veterans.

There is free treatment with allowances to every discharged person for the first year after return to civil life and free treatment with allowances for pensioned conditions is available throughout the pensioner's life. Those discharged from the forces unable to work and in need of continuing treatment may have their pay and allowances of rank continued for one year, if necessary, and for longer when treatment is still required for a pensionable condition.

PENSIONS

Pension is awardable under three simple and easily understood conditions:

1. When the veteran has served in a theatre of war, death or any permanent disability not due to misconduct is pensionable.
2. (a) When the veteran has served in Canada only, death or disability caused by service is pensionable.
- (b) Death or serious disability not due to service may be pensionable if hardship would otherwise result.

JOBS FOR DISABLED

A very wide program of education is being carried on continuously so that veterans who suffer a disability as a result of their war service may have a full and happy future. Many volunteer associations are assisting in this work, and specialized help is available from such organizations as the War Amputations of Canada, the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, and the Canadian Society for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing.

THE COMMUNITY'S RESPONSIBILITY

This series of advertisements has given, in brief form, an outline of the Canadian re-establishment program for ex-service men and women. The responsibility, however, is not entirely that of Parliament. It can provide legislation and funds, but in the final analysis it must be the veterans themselves and the people of Canada who make the program work. The public support so far has been unstinting, but successful administration requires further public support. Understanding and effort by the whole people are needed.

VETERANS' WELFARE OFFICERS ARE STATIONED IN KEY CENTRES THROUGHOUT CANADA. THEY ADVISE AND ASSIST EX-SERVICE PERSONNEL, AND SHOULD BE CONSULTED ON ALL PROBLEMS.

Issued under the authority of Hon. Ian A. Mackenzie, Minister of
VETERANS' AFFAIRS

★ SEND THIS ADVERTISEMENT TO SOME MAN OR WOMAN OVERSEAS. ★

John Bracken Speaks to Farmers

Speaking at Alliston, Ontario, on October 14, John Bracken, leader of the Progressive-Conservative party, proposes for farmers a plan in the nature of a collective bargain between the nation and those who produce the nation's food. He advances the policy of proportionate income insurance for farmers and fishermen.

Touching first on the federal Act for support of agricultural products during the transition from war to peace he says: "The first basic defect of this act is that it covers only the transition period from war to peace, with no peace, with no clear definition. It is not today, nor the immediate tomorrow that worries the farmer but the years when present Canadian markets are likely to be curtailed and the prices of farm products collapse or fluctuate. Wide price fluctuation downward will return intermittently again if definite measure of a more permanent character are not taken by the government to provide permanent remedies for the future rather than temporary expedients for a transition period.

"I have been forced to the conclusion that the Act is inadequate, impractical and clumsy, and yet if ever put to use would impose in addition to defects another army of bureau-

crats to carry it out. It is wholly incapable of meeting a situation that can be remedied only by a policy that is mandatory and permanent and of a more fundamental nature.

"We have a condition in Canada where farmers have never in normal times had a fair return for their labor. They buy in protected market at relatively high price, and sell in a free trade market at generally low prices. This means that farmers are heavily taxed by the higher prices they have to pay for much of what they buy and on world markets must compete with the peasant workers in the Argentine, the peasants in the Balkan and lower paid workers elsewhere. The government, though, repudiated a low tariff government, knows that free trade would have thrown countless thousands of industrial workers out of employment. It has rendered little more than lip service to its low tariff claims. What is the answer? For the nation it is to continue seeking the widest possible measure of interchange of goods between nations, while seeing to it that its workers are not thrown out of employment.

Answer for Agriculture
"I propose a permanent plan of radical reform for agriculture by which the food products of the nation will be definitely, continuously and permanently protected in the future against income collapse and extremes of income fluctuation. I propose for agriculture the assurance of markets at fair prices, just as for labor the assurance of jobs at fair pay.

"The farmers as a producing section of our population, shall receive their proportionate share of national income of the country—a small income if the nation's income be small and a proportionate share if it be large, based on the number of people working on farms. This includes operators and workers. The only way a farm laborer can get fair wages is by farmers getting a fair income.

"This means that a permanent policy of forward contract prices will be guaranteed to farmers by law—prices that will be based on their proportionate share of the national income. It will not mean setting up multiple bureaucracies and boards because it is our intention that these products will constantly flow in the regular channel for what the consumers here and abroad will pay. Any difference between the prices thus received and the prices thus guaranteed to the farmer will be an obligation to be met by the State under this plan to secure to farmers their proportionate share of the national income. The plan at the beginning will be applied to more important farm products and extended as rapidly as possible to cover the whole field of production in agriculture and other food products, including fish.

"The prices that farmers receive for basic farm products will be what they get for them in open market, plus whatever amount may be necessary to bring the total up to a figure estimated to give farmers as a class their proportionate share of the total

income of all Canadians.

"The prices to be guaranteed will be calculated by a non-political, non-sectional economic council, comprising statisticians, economists and consumers, based on the most reliable records the government can secure. The prices will be calculated in advance of production period.

"The government's figures on national income are not considered as being wholly reliable, and are now being revised. I have therefore not received definite figures as to the exact prices the present plan would assure. But information at hand leads me to believe that this policy will assure prices to farmers much higher than in normal peace-time years in the past, and higher for most farm products than prices now prevailing in this country. On the basis of conservative estimates it would appear that this plan would increase present farm prices by not less than twenty per cent.

"The policy will protect consumers against both shortages of food and scarcity prices. It assures no more than equity to farmers. It will go further in securing fair distribution of the nation's income as between industry and agriculture than any plan that any party has yet advanced. In increasing the purchasing power of the people it goes a long distance and I think, on grounds more sound, than any measure yet proposed for this purpose.

Only 9000 of the 90,000 Jews of Greece are known to have escaped



Firestone Tires
Cum-Dipped
STILL GIVING Most MILES per DOLLAR

Yes sir, I've seen tires come and go. But for consistent high quality and mileage Firestones are still tops. And no wonder! Look at all the extra values you get—

- **Vitamic Rubber**—Firestone's new method of fortifying rubber with Vitamins gives extra protection against weather checking and wear.
- **Cum-Dipping**—Every fibre of every cord is insulated against internal friction and wear.
- **Split-Loose Cords**—Tightly woven, stronger cords split-together for extra strength.
- **Gear-Grp Tread**—Thousands of sharp-edge angles provide extra protection against skidding and are scientifically designed for extra-long wear.

If you are eligible to buy new tires be sure to specify Firestone... the tires that stay safer, longer.

BUY VICTORY BONDS



● That old saying, so well known to farm folks... "Plow to the end of the furrow"... so aptly makes our duty plain. And the end of the furrow is beyond the horizon.

Our men on the fighting fronts have weary, trying days ahead of them. We, on the home front, must not waver nor falter. Our duty is clear, we must keep faith with our fighters. On Canadian farms we must maintain our efforts to produce the foods our fighters and our allies need. That work will reward us with increased incomes.

And we must save... to have money to lend to our country to pay the increased costs that this war continues to pile up.

Money invested in Victory Bonds will help to buy the tools of war. They don't last long in action. They must be replaced. It's our job... the home front job... to see to it that our fighting men have everything they need.

Victory Bonds yield a double harvest. They provide our country with money to carry on the war. Later, they will provide money to buy things we will want and need, and which we have done without during the war. Victory Bonds will provide cash to pay for improvements for farm and home... new buildings... new machinery... better stock... new car... furnishings and conveniences for the home.

*Invest in
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**BUY VICTORY BONDS WITH MONEY IN THE BANK
BUY MORE... ON CONVENIENT DEFERRED PAYMENTS**

Victory Bonds pay double bank interest—3%. Buy Victory Bonds with your savings. You can also buy Victory Bonds on convenient deferred payments. Pay 10% when you order the bonds and the balance any time over a period of six months.

National War Finance Committee.



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Buy VICTORY BONDS

shootings and deportations. Princess Beatrice, youngest and last surviving child of Queen Victoria, died on Friday at the age of 87 years.

The "first in—first out" demobilization plan announced for the R.C.A.F. will probably apply to the army and navy. Special provisions may be made for married men with urgent responsibilities, farmers' sons, etc.

When the Earl of Dudley said in the House of Lords that he'd like to see young people have a baby every year in the first five years of marriage, he raised a storm. One suggestion was that the Earl be sentenced to wash diapers every day for 2191 days.

IN MEMORIAM

HUNGERBUHLER—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Eliza Hungerbuhler, who passed away Oct. 31 1943.

"Loving and kind in all her ways. Upright and just to the end of her days. Sincere and true in heart and mind. Beautiful memories she left behind."

Ever remembered by Herman and daughters, Alice, Sue, Lil and Betty



By DR. K. W. NEATBY

Director
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Righting A Wrong

"The price is too high."
This is the reason given, by many elevator agents, for failure to interest farmers in Registered or Certified seed. If this statement is true, it must be based on one, or both, of two suppositions. They are:

1. That mixed or 'scrub' seed will give as good, or almost as good, a return per acre as will pedigreed seed.
2. That the seed growers are making too large profits.

Both suppositions are wrong. Generally speaking, yield, grade and quality, especially of wheat, are inferior in mixed stocks. Most mixtures, found on prairie farms, contain early and late types, rust resistant and rust susceptible types, poor quality types, etc. Remember that it is not necessary to buy expensive seed every year. With proper care, Registered or Certified seed will continue to produce a reasonably pure commercial crop for several years. Therefore, the cost of pure seed must not all be charged to the year in which the purchase was made.

The question of seed growers' profits can be dismissed with a few words. It takes a mighty good farmer to be a successful seed grower. In most cases, these "good farmers" could make more money by producing commercial grain. Then, why don't they? Simply because they get fond of their pure stocks just as does the livestock breeder. They take a very real pride in their own high standards and do not measure success solely in terms of money income.

The price is not too high.

ADVOCATE CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE—Folding Baby Carriage. Apply Mrs. Art Scott, Vulcan. 2p

WANTED—Repairs off an old 17-28 Twin City Tractor. Anyone having same please phone E. A. Woodman, R511, Vulcan.

FOR SALE—225 Leghorn Pullets, laying, large strain; 125 Hampshire, laying, pullets; \$1.00 each. Also New Spencer Range for sale. Apply Mrs. E. Harper, Box 62, Champion, Alta.

FOR SALE—Broad Breasted Bronze Turkeys. Large flock of healthy, properly reared market type birds to choose from. Gobblers \$10.00; Hens \$6.00 at the farm. Come early and avoid disappointment. 8 miles north and 4 miles east of Vulcan. Apply Mrs. L. E. Richardson, Vulcan. Phone R1305. 2p

FOR SALE—5-roomed house good condition 12 miles east and 4 south of Vulcan; 7 miles north and 7 east of Champion. Apply E. B. Siler, Champion. 3p

FOR SALE—Innis Piano. Price \$150. Phone 912, Champion. 2p

LOST—To the farm of W. J. Todd, Kirkcaldy, a sheep. Owner may have same by giving a description of markings, paying for feed and this advertisement. Phone L008

FOR SALE—50 Laying Hampshire Pullets, 80 cents each. Apply Orlo Doane Phone R 609 Vulcan

Included in the Bison bomber squadron recently adopted by the city of Lethbridge are 46 Albertans. One of these is F/Sgt. J. B. Linstead. In the first nine months of this year the bison dropped over 4000 tons of bombs from their Halifax bombers and have made 2500 sorties.

Germany must defend her western frontier with 500,000 men. 100 depleted divisions must be spread from the North Sea to Switzerland. At the end of the last war they had about 100 good divisions on the Western front, and no big Russian army on the east. Sixteen German divisions were destroyed by Allied armies in France.

Annual War Charity Calf Auction Sale

The annual Poothills War Charity Calf Sale will be held at the High River skating rink on Saturday, November 11 starting at 1 p.m. sharp. Proceeds of the sale will go to the Navy League of Canada, the Prisoner of War fund of the Red Cross and the Queen's Canadian fund. Any individual contributor may instruct the secretary to allot all or any portion of the sale price of his contribution to any particular war charity he wishes, other than those specified above.

Bob Edwards "Eye Opener"

(Calgary Eye Opener, May 1904)

Prunes from Okotoks

One of the most interesting features of the Calgary Fair will be the exhibit of seedless prunes raised in the vicinity of Okotoks.

Nothing Improper

The Territorial Live Stock Show held annually at Calgary, is billed for May 10 and 11. On the nights of the 10th and 11th, the Elmer Walters theatrical company will present "A Thoroughbred Tramp" and "Just Struck Town." People from outside points need not be afraid to come. They are not going to put on "Mrs. Jarley's Atoneement." That was the atrocity of last week, a peanut orator in which badly needed roasting.

Reckless Jimmy Ashdown

Speaking of trap shooting, one of the most remarkable examples of whole-souled, sparkling, wide-open generosity and reckless liberality has just come to notice. J. H. Ashdown of Winnipeg has offered a prize to be competed for by all the gun clubs between Winnipeg and Calgary. This means that Brandon, Moose Jaw, Regina, Medicine Hat, Calgary, High River, Macleod and Edmonton Gun Clubs will drop everything to strive for this wonderful prize. The prize is a shotgun. Oh Jimmy Ashdown, you are a cheap skate. Yes, Jimmy, a thousand dollars worth of advertising in return for a shot gun is slick business. We wonder what's the matter with the gun that you couldn't sell it.

Up to Promise

"Why am I against Russia?" asks the fellow at the bar. "Oh she's such a liar. She isn't to be trusted. She promised to get out of Manchuria in October and she didn't do it. By gum I want people to live up to their promises. When they say they'll do a thing I want them to do it."

"That's right," agreed his neighbor. "And what about that little ten spot you borrowed off me a couple of months ago and said you'd return next day."

"Say, you never can argue about anything without getting personal. You're too narrow minded to understand these broad national questions. You're a cocoanut palaverer."

The Dust of Elections

"Sister Anne, Sister Anne, do you see any elections coming?"

"I see a cloud of dust far down the road."

"Anything else?"

"A flock of sheep."

"Oh sister that must be the Grits

NEWS OF INTEREST

The conference at Quebec cost about \$370,000. This year the visitors paid for their own liquor. Last year this luxury was "on Canada." The British delegates needed a lot of tea and were very partial to steaks and fruit.

Alberta government has announced a \$5,500,000 subscription to the Victory Loan.

At the fall livestock sale in Calgary last week, almost all prices fell somewhat below the 1943 peak, except purebred rams.

milling on the prairies. Do you see nothing else?"

"A drove of hogs."

"Ha, the grafters. Hang out our banners on the outer walls, and get ready the vats. We'll make these hogs yield up some of their fat. Get out the prod poles."

For Provincial Autonomy

We are interested to find out the extent of the promises which will be or have already been handed out to Mr. Haultain during his annual visit to Ottawa regarding the persistent demand for provincial autonomy for the North West Territories. The proximity of general elections should stir up something pretty fat in the line of promises.

Liberal themselves who favor undelayed granting of provincial autonomy—and there are many such—should put the screws on their own party, or withdraw their support. Surely they do not propose to allow themselves to be driven like a bunch of wild-eyed bronks into a corral, run through a chute and branded "L" on the sternum obsequatulum, and then driven to the polls. Have some personal pride boys. Stand up for your rights.

Be Up and Kicking

Good natured people not only submit to imposition but impose it on themselves. A large part of our western self-imposition rises from a failure to realize what we really are. We look upon the government as some thing apart from ourselves because it is 2000 miles away. We are the public and entitled to our voice in government. By placidity we are robbing ourselves. Let us then be up and kicking.

Illinois Did It

Apropos provincial autonomy for the western prairies we may mention that Illinois had only 55,000 inhabitants two years after admission as a State of the Union. Nevada even now has not much more than that. Arizona which has been a State for a long time, has just reached 400,000. There were eleven States at the time of the 1900 census with smaller population than this. The Territories have over 250,000.

MILO NEWS

Cows Sold Well at Shouldice Sale. Mennonites Hauling Fish by Truckload. C.C.F. Held Meeting at Milo

Something new in a high record for auction sales was reached last week at the sale of M. E. Shouldice. Despite the lower cattle market reflected in all auction sales this fall an unregistered but good milch cow brought \$170 and a sucking calf five months old, registered, was knocked down by C. M. Allen at \$185.00. The cattle were all in splendid condition and of excellent breeding.

The whitefish are running in the irrigation district and many a good feed is being enjoyed by the local people. Every so often a group of Mennonites come over in a large truck and despite the law, the police and public opinion, seek to make a killing and haul away a truckload.

At time of writing the Victory Loan campaign in this district is well over twenty thousand dollars and hopes are high that this figure may be doubled. The previous record for the district is about \$37,000. If we can do this this year in spite of crop failure the district will have every reason to be proud of its achievement.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bushell when their youngest daughter, Grace Minette, became the bride of Robert Gordon James of Calgary. The bride who was dressed in blue and carried a bouquet of red roses, was given in marriage by her father and Reverend Sharpe of the Milo Baptist church officiated. Jack Bushell of Calgary, brother of the bride, acted in the capacity of best man and Miss Frances Peters of Calgary as bridesmaid. About thirty guests partook of the buffet luncheon.

As we enter the fifth year of war, the sympathies of the entire world go to the courageous Chinese who have been at war with Japan for the past ten years. In the early stages of the war, the Chinese were on their own, without allies, without supplies and almost without hope. The same scene was re-enacted at the local restaurant the other night. There has been a long standing feud between the local restaurateur and a young chap of the community. The nearest police are thirty miles away and a situation arose that demanded immediate action. Finally the son of the Celestial Empire took a poker in one hand and the law in the other and conked the annoyer on his cranium. The war finished in a triumph of Orient over Occident.

Last week the C.C.F. party held a rally in the Milo hall. The chair was taken by V. J. Bertrand. Speakers were Mr. Griffin, organizer for the Macleod and Lethbridge constituencies; Mr. Wobick, candidate for the federal riding of Macleod and Mr. Morrison, candidate for Calgary East. Mr. Griffin outlined the basic principles of the C.C.F. platform, including security and improved education. He emphasized the value of adult study in the struggle against Fascism and the development of Democracy. Mr. Wobick dealt with the defeat of the C.C.F. in the recent provincial elections and gave the reason for it. He spoke also of the value of social ownership, pointing to many successful government-owned industries. The last speaker, Mr. Morrison analyzed the provincial defeat and pointed out the reasons why success could be expected in the forthcoming Dominion elections. He also dwelt at length on the fallacies of the Social Credit administration. The meeting closed with a lively discussion period. A collection was taken to defray expenses and campaign fund pledges and contributions were taken.

Mrs. Clem Brinker has gone to Calgary for the winter months.

Lt. Jack Heather is home on a fourteen day furlough from Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Williams and John Marles spent the week-end in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Orsdale have left Queenstown and will winter in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Harris of Calgary, are week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ivers.

Dyce Allen of Vulcan, spent a couple of days in town in connection with the Victory Loan campaign.

Mrs. Lewis Ivers gave a dinner in honor of Mrs. Ivor Harris and a number of the local ladies were guests.

Our congratulations go this week to Mr. and Mrs. William Zaystoff of Queenstown on the birth of a son.

A party was held at the Milo hall in honour of Gunner Ralph Hall who is home on leave from the Pacific coast.

Mrs. A. Voors assisted by Miss Marguerite Voors were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given in honour of Miss Grace Bushell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bushell. About thirty ladies were present and Grace was the recipient of many fine presents of linen, china and pyrex ware. Grace grew up in this district and latterly spent some months in a munition plant in Toronto. The gathering ended with a fine lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leverett are holidaying at Radium on the way to Vancouver where they will spend the winter.

Captain Kerr, Officer Commanding Cadet training for Southern Alberta, was in town this week and seeking to re-organize the cadets organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McNally and their son Alvin's fiancée Cecile Consieau of Montreal were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Heather

London Carries Wounds Bravely

Miss Freda Horrell After Exchange Duty in London, Comments on Clearing of Old Blitz Scars, But New Robots Make New Mess

Miss Freda Horrell, writing of recent "exchange" duty in which she has been engaged in London, England, says: "It was very quiet the first week but we got the robots the second week. London is terribly battered about. To one who knows and loves it, it shows its scars and wounds tremendously. But to those who just shop and go to the theatres and the usual show places, it looks to have borne the heat of the day marvellously."

"All the old blitz is wonderfully cleared up and much has been repaired. In the basements of old bombed-to-the-ground buildings are two years growth of weeds and wild flowers. Naturalists have already discovered six or more absolutely new varieties of wild flowers growing in the broken concrete of these foundations."

"But the new flying bombs have made a fresh horrible mess, and many fairly decent looking houses, churches etc., are merely shells. I love London and enjoyed wandering round the west-end away from the beaten track of shoppers. But every street and square had its own tragic and brave story."

"When in London I went to see Bunty Wright and her friends, and was very sorry to hear that Junior Ballachee had been killed. I still feel myself a part of High River, and am always interested in everyone and sympathize with my good friends in their sad losses. The fine work of our Canadian boys is a matter for great pride."

Writing also of hearing from Ken Wilson from India, she says: "Once he wrote a series of three airgraphs to make a complete letter. I got the middle one first and couldn't understand it. Then a few days later I got the third airgraph and was still baffled. I had to wait a week for the first installment and was then able to piece them all together."

HERE AND THERE

Opening of the Swallow experimental area in rural electricity under auspices of Canadian Utilities Ltd., was the signal for the buying of lanterns and farm lights blaring far into the night. An area of about 25,000 acres was electrified, the work completed Thursday. This is one of three experimental projects of this nature.

Spitzee Chapter, I.O.D.E. has adopted a Canadian ship "The Albatross." There are 25 men on this ship and the Chapter plans to send them parcels of Christmas treats. Another miscellaneous parcel is also being made up to include games, puzzles and entertainment features of this nature. If anyone has any game or puzzle to contribute to the miscellaneous parcel, the gift would be greatly appreciated.

A news despatch from the Canadian Corps in the Adriatic tells of incidents in action of the Loyal Edmonton Regiment's campaign round the Gothic line. It tells that Pte. Fred Phillips of High River entered a house alone, and came across a German. The two men sighted each other simultaneously. Both fired. The German was killed but the bullet which went through Phillips' helmet only parted his hair.

We are glad to report that Roy Tom who has been a patient for many weeks at the General Hospital at Calgary, is home again. He is accompanied by his daughter Nurse Orpha Tom.

George James of Queenstown has also gone to Vancouver for the winter. George has not been up to the high mark that he sets for himself of late and it is to be hoped that the balmy breezes of the Pacific restore his usual vigor.

Mrs. Lucy Norum has just returned from a month's vacation to Portland, Ore., where she visited her son, Earl Gallagher. Mrs. Norum is well up in the seventies and made this trip alone despite the fact that she has not travelled for years.

Gunner Stanley Brown who was wounded in action in Italy recently and Mrs. Stanley Brown wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Marion Clara to Earl Carruthers, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Carruthers of Vulcan. It is expected that the marriage will take place in the very near future although no definite date has been set.



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Men's Sheep Lined Windbreakers, the Ideal Farm Garment at \$13.50

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